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Re: Request letter dated May 9, 2013 and received via U.S. Mail on May 13, 2013

Dear Carlton:

I have reviewed your letter, which stated:

"...Pursuant to the Kansas Open Records Act (K.S.A. 45-215), I hereby request the following records: A full copy of all contracts and written agreements between Wichita Public Schools and Aventura Technologies, Inc. approved by the school board on May 6, 2013 and a complete bidding summary for the project. I also request that, if appropriate, fees be waived as I believe this request is in the public interest. The requested documents will be made available to the general public free of charge as part of the public information service at MuckRock.com, processed by a representative of the news media/press and is made in the process of news gathering and not for commercial usage. In the event that fees cannot be waived, I would be grateful if you would inform me of the total charges in advance of fulfilling my request. I would prefer the request filled electronically, by e-mail attachment if available or CD-ROM if not. Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation in this matter. I look forward to receiving your response to this request within 3 business days, as the statute requires..."

My initial response is:

☒ Requested material is not maintained as a record by the school district.

Explanation: There is no contract nor written agreement between Wichita Public Schools and Aventura Technologies. The district will purchase equipment and services from Aventura Technologies using Aventura Technologies' contract under General Services Administration (GSA) contract GS-07F0391V.

For general information on the district's KORA fees, please see 2012-13 USD 259 Fees on page 2. These fees do not apply to your above request. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Mike Willome

Mike Willome, Ed.D.

Cc: Tom Powell, Board Counsel